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— Per your letter of Jan 18, 2001 —

Dear Russell Dyer;

1 I want to make it perfectly clear. We don't want "Radioactive Waste" of any kind stored in Nevada.

2 Every person that has worked in a facility having anything to do with Radioactive material has died or is suffering waiting to die of some kind of Cancer.

The Truex plant in Colorado where my family is from, punched holes in the filter screens of their equipment, they were so full of radioactive material, they didn't work. I refer to the die part of this letter.

I consider what you are doing very deadly, stupid, and foolhardy, to say the least. I and my family protest in the loudest way possible to what you are doing. Thank you

Sincerely  
Richard W. Smucker



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**ANNOUNCEMENT OF EXTENSION OF PUBLIC COMMENT PERIOD**

**SUPPLEMENT TO THE DRAFT ENVIRONMENTAL IMPACT STATEMENT (EIS)  
FOR YUCCA MOUNTAIN**

On May 4, 2001, the U.S. Department of Energy (DOE) published a Notice of Availability (66 FR 22540) of its Supplement to the Draft Environmental Impact Statement for a Geologic Repository for the Disposal of Spent Nuclear Fuel and High-Level Radioactive Waste at Yucca Mountain, Nye County, Nevada (Draft EIS) (DOE/EIS-0250D-S) and announced a 45-day public comment period ending June 25, 2001. Based on input from the public, DOE is now announcing an extension of the comment period to July 6, 2001.

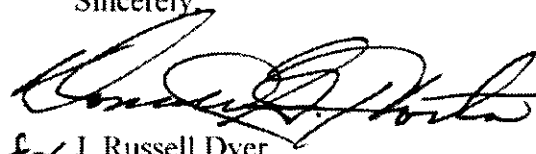
The public is invited to provide comments on the Supplement to the Draft EIS during the comment period that ends on July 6, 2001. DOE will consider comments received during the comment period in preparation of the Final EIS. Comments received after July 6, 2001 will be considered to the extent practicable.

Written comments and requests for further information on the Supplement to the Draft EIS and requests for copies of the document and included CD-ROM should be directed to:

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Written comments via facsimiles should include the following identifier: "Yucca Mountain Supplement to the Draft EIS." Written comments on or requests for copies of the document may also be submitted over the internet via the Yucca Mountain Project website at <http://www.ymp.gov>, under the listing "Environmental Impact Statement."

Sincerely,

  
for J. Russell Dyer  
Project Manager

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